



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

RQ-3

June 14, 2001

Jeanne Maust, Treasurer
Nevada State Democratic Party
1785 East Sahara #496
Las Vegas, NV 89104

Identification Number: C00208991

Reference: Year End Report (11/28/00-12/31/00)

Dear Ms. Maust:

This letter is to inform you that as of June 13, 2001 the Commission has not received your response to our request for additional information, dated May 23, 2001. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. To ensure compliance with the provisions of the Federal Election Campaign Act (the Act), please respond to this request (copy enclosed).

An adequate response must be received at the Commission by July 4, 2001. Adequate responses received on or before this date will be taken into consideration in determining whether audit action will be initiated. **Requests for extensions of time in which to respond will not be considered.** Failure to provide an adequate response by this date may result in an audit of the committee. Failure to comply with the provisions of the Act may also result in an enforcement action against the committee. Any response submitted by your committee will be placed on the public record and will be considered by the Commission prior to taking enforcement action.

If you should have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Alice Kang on our toll-free number (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 1, then press 2 to reach the Reports Analysis Division) or our local number (202) 694-1130.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "John D. Gibson", with a stylized flourish at the end.

John D. Gibson
Assistant Staff Director
Reports Analysis Division

Enclosure



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
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Naomi Millisor, Treasurer
Nevada State Democratic Party
1785 East Sahara #496
Las Vegas, NV 89104

MAY 23 2001

Identification Number: C00208991

Reference: Year End Report (11/28/00-12/31/00)

Dear Ms. Millisor:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. The review raised questions concerning certain information contained in the report(s). An itemization follows:

-Your report discloses Memo Schedule A's totaling \$4,600.85 from the State Party Democratic Victory Fund. However, there are no corresponding transfers-in from this committee disclosed on Schedule A for supporting Line 12 of the Detailed Summary Page. Please clarify this apparent discrepancy.

-Schedule A of your report (pertinent portion(s) attached) discloses a contribution(s) which appears to exceed the limits set forth in the Act. 2 U.S.C. §441a(f) and 11 CFR §110.1(d) preclude a committee and its affiliates from receiving contributions from another political committee or person in excess of \$5,000 per calendar year.

If the contribution(s) in question was incompletely or incorrectly disclosed, you should amend your original report with the clarifying information. If the contribution(s) you received exceeded the limits, you must seek reattribution of the contribution pursuant to 11 CFR §110.1(k), transfer-out the amount in excess of \$5,000 to an account not used to influence federal elections or refund the excessive amount to the donor(s) in accordance with 11 CFR §103.3(b). In the best interest of your committee, all reattributions, transfers-out, and refunds should be made within sixty days of the treasurer's receipt of the contribution(s). In order to protect the donor's

interests, the Commission recommends that you inform the contributor(s) in writing to provide the donor(s) with the option of granting written authorization for a reattribution or transfer-out to another account or receiving a refund.

Please inform the Commission of your corrective action immediately in writing and provide a photocopy of your check for the transfer-out or refund. In addition, any reattributions should be reported as memo entries on Schedule A of the report covering the period during which the authorization for the reattribution is received. Any transfers-out or refunds should be disclosed on Schedule B supporting Line 22 or 28 of the report during which the transaction was made.

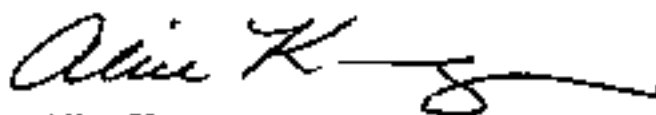
Although the Commission may take further legal action regarding the acceptance of an excessive contribution(s), prompt action by your committee to seek reattribution, transfer-out or refund the excessive amount will be taken into consideration.

-Itemized disbursements must include a brief statement or description of why the disbursements were made. Please amend Schedule(s) H4 of your report to clarify the following description(s): "office services". For further guidance regarding acceptable purposes of disbursements, please refer to 11 CFR §104.3(b)(3).

-On Schedule H4 supporting Line 21(a) of the Detailed Summary Page, you have failed to check the appropriate CATEGORY box for the payment(s) made to Office Depot. Please amend your report to disclose the appropriate category.

A written response or an amendment to your original report(s) correcting the above problem(s) should be filed with the Federal Election Commission within fifteen (15) days of the date of this letter. If you need assistance, please feel free to contact me on our toll-free number, (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 1, then press 2 to reach the Reports Analysis Division). My local number is (202) 694-1130.

Sincerely,



Alice Kang
Reports Analyst
Report Analysis Division

SCHEDULE A

ITEMIZED RECEIPTS

Use separate schedule(s)
for each category of the
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FOR LINE NUMBER 11.c.

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NAME OF COMMITTEE (in Full)

NEVADA STATE DEMOCRATIC PARTY

A. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code

The NEA Fund For Children & Public
Education
1201 - 16th Street, NW #421
Washington, DC 20036

Receipt For: ☐ Primary ☐ General
☐ Other (specify):

Name of Employer

C00003251

Occupation

Date (month,
day, year)

12/29/00

Amount of Each
Receipt this Period

5,000.00

Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$ 5,000.00

B. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code

Receipt For: ☐ Primary ☐ General
☐ Other (specify):

Name of Employer

Occupation

Date (month,
day, year)Amount of Each
Receipt this Period

Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$

C. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code

Receipt For: ☐ Primary ☐ General
☐ Other (specify):

Name of Employer

Occupation

Date (month,
day, year)Amount of Each
Receipt this Period

Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$

D. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code

Receipt For: ☐ Primary ☐ General
☐ Other (specify):

Name of Employer

Occupation

Date (month,
day, year)Amount of Each
Receipt this Period

Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$

E. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code

Receipt For: ☐ Primary ☐ General
☐ Other (specify):

Name of Employer

Occupation

Date (month,
day, year)Amount of Each
Receipt this Period

Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$

F. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code

Receipt For: ☐ Primary ☐ General
☐ Other (specify):

Name of Employer

Occupation

Date (month,
day, year)Amount of Each
Receipt this Period

Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$

G. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code

Receipt For: ☐ Primary ☐ General
☐ Other (specify):

Name of Employer

Occupation

Date (month,
day, year)Amount of Each
Receipt this Period

Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$

SUBTOTAL of Receipts This Page (optional)

5,000.00

TOTAL This Period (last page this line number only)

5,000.00

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NAME OF COMMITTEE (in Full)

NEVADA STATE DEMOCRATIC PARTY

A. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code

The NEA Fund For Children & Public
Education - Federal Account
1201 16th Street, NW Suite 1421
Washington, DC 20036

Name of Employer

C00003251

Date (month,
day, year)

1/21/00

Amount of Each
Receipt this Period

5,000.00

Receipt For:

☐ Primary☐ General☐ Other (specify):

Occupation

Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$ 5,000.00

B. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code

Berkley For Congress
3069 Conquista Court
Las Vegas, NV 89121

Name of Employer

Date (month,
day, year)

1/21/00

Amount of Each
Receipt this Period

250.00

Receipt For:

☐ Primary☐ General☐ Other (specify):

Occupation

Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$ 250.00

C. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code

A Lot of People Supporting Ed
Bernstein
6100 Elton Avenue #1000
Las Vegas, NV 89107

Name of Employer

Date (month,
day, year)

1/21/00

Amount of Each
Receipt this Period

250.00

Receipt For:

☐ Primary☐ General☐ Other (specify):

Occupation

Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$ 250.00

D. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code

A Lot of People Supporting Ed
Bernstein
6100 Elton Avenue #1000
Las Vegas, NV 89107

Name of Employer

Date (month,
day, year)

3/20/00

Amount of Each
Receipt this Period

125.00

Receipt For:

☐ Primary☐ General☐ Other (specify):

Occupation

Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$ 375.00

E. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code

Name of Employer

Date (month,
day, year)

Occupation

Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$

Amount of Each
Receipt this Period

F. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code

Name of Employer

Date (month,
day, year)

Occupation

Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$

Amount of Each
Receipt this Period

Receipt For:

☐ Primary☐ General☐ Other (specify):

G. Full Name, Mailing Address and ZIP Code

Name of Employer

Date (month,
day, year)

Occupation

Aggregate Year-to-Date > \$

Amount of Each
Receipt this Period

Receipt For:

☐ Primary☐ General☐ Other (specify):

SUBTOTAL of Receipts This Page (optional)

5,625.00

TOTAL This Period (last page this line number only)

5,625.00

The first part of the paper discusses the importance of understanding the cultural context of the research. It highlights the need for researchers to be sensitive to the values and beliefs of the communities they are studying. This is particularly important in the field of education, where cultural differences can significantly impact learning outcomes. The author argues that a one-size-fits-all approach to education is not only ineffective but also disrespectful to the diverse cultures of our world.

In the second part, the author explores the challenges of conducting research in non-Western contexts. One major challenge is the lack of standardized research methods that are applicable across different cultures. What works in one cultural setting may not work in another. The author provides examples of how researchers have adapted their methods to better fit the needs of their study populations. For instance, some researchers have found that using local languages and involving community members in the research process can lead to more accurate and meaningful results.

The third part of the paper focuses on the ethical considerations of cross-cultural research. Researchers must be aware of the potential for exploitation and ensure that their study is conducted in a way that respects the autonomy and dignity of the participants. This often involves obtaining informed consent in a way that is understandable and meaningful to the community. The author also discusses the importance of sharing the results of the research with the community and using the findings to improve educational practices.

Finally, the author concludes by emphasizing the need for ongoing dialogue and collaboration between researchers and the communities they study. Education is a complex and dynamic field, and understanding its cultural context is essential for creating effective and equitable learning environments. By working together, we can develop research that truly serves the needs of all learners.